

Medical Marijuana Program Implementation Status Update

The Division of Medical Marijuana would like to wish everybody a happy 2018.

Website Update Notification:

The Division is excited to announce a new feature on the website that allows people to register their email address to receive notification of new or updated website information or other important program updates. To register, visit https://www.ndhealth.gov/mm/ and look for the button titled "Subscribe/Unsubscribe to Updates". You may unregister your email address at any time.

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Clarification:

Based on inquiries via phone call and email to the Division, some clarification is needed on the following areas:

Manufacturing Facilities and Dispensaries

Currently, there are <u>no</u> manufacturing facilities or dispensaries registered with the state. If there is talk that there are already such facilities approved, that is incorrect information. Any open application period for manufacturing facilities and dispensaries will be announced via press releases, website updates, and email notifications.

It should be noted that potential manufacturing facilities and dispensaries are required to obtain local planning and zoning approval prior to submitting an application. Therefore, there may be instances where local planning and zoning have issued their approval of a potential manufacturing facility or dispensary. This should not be confused with a registration through the Department of Health.

Qualifying Patients and Designated Caregivers

The Division is not registering patients or designated caregivers at this time. Because a registry identification card is only valid for one year at a time, the Division does not intend to register patients and designated caregivers until manufacturing facilities and dispensaries are selected for registration and close to being operational. Once patients and designated caregivers can apply for a registry identification card, the public will be made aware via press releases and website updates.